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PATENT APPLICATION

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NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Sir:

If the Examiner deems the Amendment filed October 15, 2003 not to place the application in condition for allowance, Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences the decision of the Primary Examiner dated July 15, 2003 to finally reject claims 1-6, 9, 11-13, 15, and 17-25.

A Petition and Fee for Extention of Time is enclosed.

Applicant claims Small Entity status. If deemed necessary, please charge the fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(b), estimated to be \$165.00, and any additional fees in conjuction with this communication, to Deposit Account No. 26-0290.

A duplicate of this paper is enclosed.

Respectfully Submitted,

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Enclosures:

Petition and Fee for Extension of Time (in duplicate) Postcard

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